

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Plaintiff,

-vs-

Criminal Action No.
23-00265-01-CR-W-HFS

CHRISTOPHER R.P. BEAMAN,

Defendant.

**MEMORANDUM OF MATTERS DISCUSSED AND
ACTION TAKEN AT PRETRIAL CONFERENCE**

The following matters were discussed and action taken during the pretrial conference:

PENDING CHARGES:

Count One:	Possession with Intent to Distribute Methamphetamine, <i>in violation of</i> 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1), (b)(1)(B)
Count Two:	Possession of a Firearm in Furtherance of a Drug Trafficking Offense, <i>in violation of</i> 18 U.S.C. § 924(c)(1)(A)(i)
Count Three:	Felon in Possession of a Firearm, <i>in violation of</i> 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(1) and 924(a)(8)

TRIAL COUNSEL:

Government: Trey Alford; a paralegal will assist

Case Agent: Independence, Missouri Police Department Detective Steve Cook

Defense: Lesley Smith; Investigator Kendra Jackson will assist

OUTSTANDING MOTIONS: None

ANTICIPATED MOTIONS: None

TRIAL WITNESSES:

Government: 7 with stipulations; 10 without stipulations

Defense: less than 2 additional witnesses; Defendant may testify

TRIAL EXHIBITS:

Government: 50 exhibits

Defense: 10 additional exhibits

DEFENSES:

- ☒ defense of general denial
☐ defenses of general denial and _____

POSSIBLE DISPOSITION:

- ☐ Definitely for trial ☐ Possibly for trial
☐ Motion to continue to be filed ☒ Likely a plea will be worked out

TRIAL TIME: 2 ½ days

Government's case including jury selection: 2 days

Defense case: ½ day

STIPULATIONS:

- ☐ not likely
☐ not appropriate
☒ likely as to:
☐ chain of custody
☐ chemist's reports
☒ prior felony conviction
☒ interstate nexus of firearm
☐ other: _____

UNUSUAL QUESTIONS OF LAW: None

FILING DEADLINES:

Witness and Exhibit Lists:

Government: November 18, 2024

Defense: November 18, 2024

Counsel are requested to list witnesses in alphabetical order on their witness list.

Exhibit Index, Voir Dire, Jury Instructions: November 18, 2024

Jury instructions must comply with Local Rule 51.1

Motions in Limine: November 18, 2024

TRIAL SETTING: Criminal jury trial docket commencing December 2, 2024

Please note: *Defense counsel has a scheduled proceeding with an out-of-town client on December 3, 2024. Counsel for both parties have another case on the December docket, USA v. Radcliffe, 24-00231-01-CR-W-HFS.*

OTHER:

- () A _____-speaking interpreter is required.
() Other assistive devices: _____

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/ Jill A. Morris
JILL A. MORRIS
United States Magistrate Judge